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Supervisor Greg Cox

In the Coming Week

KEEPING SOUTH COUNTY KIDS SMILING

Supervisor Greg Cox will join with the community for a free dental clinic for uninsured kids. A recent study of second through fifth graders in South County found that 30% had untreated cavities and 74% had active gum disease.

Saturday, October 15, clinic opens at 9:00 am, media interviews planned for 10:00 am at the Southwestern College Dental Hygiene Program, 880 National City Boulevard

KEYS TO SUCCESS

Thanks to a generous \$30,000 grant from Volvo, Supervisors Greg Cox and Bill Horn along with the Child Abuse Prevention Foundation will launch the Keys to Success program to help foster teens get driver's licenses. Too often, foster teens struggle with the cost of learning to drive at a professional driving school, if their high school does not offer Driver Ed courses.

Tuesday, October 18 at Noon at San Diego Volvo, 5350 Kearny Mesa Road, San Diego

LIFE IS BETTER IN OCEAN BEACH

Supervisor Greg Cox will recognize service to the community and will honor the incoming Board of Directors at the Ocean Beach Town Council's Annual Dinner.

Tuesday, October 18 at 6:30 pm at Shades Oceanfront Bistro, 5083 Santa Monica Avenue, Ocean Beach

THINKING ABOUT HIRING SOMEONE WHO'S DONE TIME?

Standing behind the Prison Industry Authority, the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, and several community-based organizations, Supervisor Cox joins in presenting an Employers Forum to answer questions from businesses and highlight the benefits of hiring trained ex-offenders, San Diego County's undiscovered labor resource.

October 20 from 9:00 am to Noon at the Holiday Inn Mission Valley Stadium, 3805 Murphy Canyon Road, San Diego

30 YEARS OF HELPING FAMILIES IN CRISIS

Supervisor Greg Cox will recognize three decades of supporting families in difficult situations at the 30th Anniversary Open House of YMCA Family Stress Counseling Services. The center serves over 2,000 children and adults each year through child abuse prevention and treatment; marriage, family and child counseling; services for crime victims; recruitment of adoptive parents; and more. Friday, October 21 at 11:00 am at the YMCA Family Stress Center, 779 Third Avenue, Chula Vista

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